## **Arlington Shares The Dream**

### The 2002 Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration

#### The "Sharing The Dream" Banquet

6:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18

University of Texas at Arlington Bluebonnet Ballroom E.H. Hereford University Center

Citywide dinner and banquet features the Arlington High School Colt Chorale, Step by Step Dance and presentations by the winners of the Sharing The Dream essay and art scholarship competitions.

#### **About the Speaker...**

Noted historian, published author, educator and mentor. Former curator of history for the Dallas Museum of African American Life and Culture. Avery Review editor and co-editor of the Texas African American History Journal. Presenter and author of KKDA Soul 73AM - African-American History Notes.

Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$15 for students. Purchase "Sharing The Dream" Banquet tickets today by calling the Arlington Independent School District 817-459-7217 or the Star-Telegram Customer Service Office at 817-548-5400.

#### **Jr. Explore 2002**

#### 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19

UTA - E.H. Hereford University Center (Red River Concho Suite) Designed for children ages 6-13. Through art and dialogue, participants learn about the life and times of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Artist Tolliver Lewis facilitates this free session. Entertainment by the Metro Christian Academy and Cornerstone Baptist Church Youth Choirs. Lunch will be provided.

#### **Explore 2002**

#### 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19

UTA - E.H. Hereford University Center (Rio Grande Ballroom) Designed especially for young adults ages 14-18. This session addresses the leadership styles and characteristics necessary for college life. This free session includes lunch.

#### **The MLK Step Show**

#### 1-3 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 19

Bowie High School, 2101 Highbank Dr.

Competition showcases local step talent from area junior and senior high schools. Entry fee is \$25 per team. First place wins \$200, second place \$100 and third place \$50. Admission is \$5. Call 817-459-7217 to register.

#### The Multicultural Festival

#### 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 19

Tarrant County College Southeast Campus, 2100 Southeast Parkway

A celebration of ethnic cultures within Arlington and the Metroplex, featuring traditional song, fashion and dance. This free festival includes vendors and a sampling of foods from various cultures.



#### The Hubert Moss Ecumenical Service

#### 7 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 20

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church 5819 W. Pleasant Ridge Road

Arlington comes together in worship and song. The Rev. Anselm Malonda, a Catholic priest from Africa, leads this citywide service. Event features the All-City Boys and Girls Choir and a combined choirs of the Bethlehem Church and St. Vincent de Paul Church. A



"Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing"

public reception will immediately follow the service hosted by the Xi Theta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

#### **Sharing The Dream Youth Extravaganza** 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 21

UTA - Texas Hall

On what would have been King's 73rd birthday, more than 500 youth share King's dream with song, dance and drama presentations. Free event features more than 14 elementary school choirs, area high school and junior high school chorus groups.

A special pictorial postal cancellation and cachet envelope commemorating the 2002 Martin Luther King Jr. celebration available at the Banquet and Multicultural Festival.





For more information, call the MLK Event Hotline 817-459-6430 or the City of Arlington Office of Communication at 817-459-6402.

# Since 1990, Arlington has celebrated the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The Arlington Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Committee extends a special thanks to the following major sponsors:



The Arlington Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Committee is comprised of representatives from the City of Arlington, University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington Independent School District, United States Postal Service, Arlington Ministerial Alliance and Tarrant County Community College with support from area financial institutions, businesses, and individual contributors.



#### **Congratulations to our 2002 Sharing The Dream Essay and Art Competition Winners:**

Art Contest:

First Place — \$500 U.S. Savings Bond Ryan Wayne, Lamar High School

Second Place — \$300 U.S. Savings Bond Dustin Osburn, Martin High School

Third Place — \$100 U.S. Savings Bond Pedro Soto, Sam Houston High School **Essay Contest:** 

First Place — \$1000 U.S. Savings Bond Teri Latrice Ijeoma, James Bowie High School

Second Place — \$750 U.S. Savings Bond Justin Taylor, Lamar High School

Third Place — \$500 U.S. Savings Bond Thu M. Nguyen, James Bowie High School

Honorable Mention Kristopher DaCosta, Lamar High School